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Application No.: 09/272,809	First Named	First Named Applicant: John Clark Lagarias			
Examiner: Jana A. Hines	Art Unit:			Application: Pe	ending
Tentative Participants: (1) Tom Hunter		(2)			
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